RECEIVED TO THE SEPTIMENT OF THE SEPTIME

DEC 1 3 2001 Page 1 of 2

TECH CENTER 1600/2900 Form PTO-1449 ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: 14114.0346U2 SERIAL NO. 09/890.551 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE (Rev. 7-80) PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE APPLICANT: LAL et al. M. Marvich LIST OF PRIOR ART CITED BY APPLICANT (Use several sheets if necessary) FILING DATE: August 1, 2001 GROUP: 1636 U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS **EXAMINER** DOCUMENT NO. DATE NAME CLASS **SUBCLASS** FILING DATE INITIAL IF APPROPRIATE MM Α1 5.786.177 A 07/28/1998 Moncany et al. MW A2 5.629.413 A 05/13/1997 Peterson et al. FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS MM А3 EP 0887427 A 12/30/1998 Ortho Clinical Diagnostics. Inc. MM Α4 EP 0293181 A 11/30/1988 Dana Farber Cancer Inst. Inc. m Α5 WO 96/02557 A 02/01/1996 Gen-Probe, Inc. WW Α6 WO 93/13223 A 07/08/1993 Chiron Corp. NO TRANSLATION ₩/\ Α7 FR 2663040 A 12/13/1991 Bio Merieux MM **8**A WO 97/07808 A 03/06/1997 The Regents of the Univ. Calif. WM EP 0617132 A Α9 09/28/1994 Gen-Probe, Inc. OTHER PRIOR ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.) Korber et al. "Human Retroviruses and AIDS 1998: A Compilation and Analysis of Nucleic Acid and Amino Acid A10 MM Sequences Online. Retrieved from the Internet: <URL:http://hiv-web.lanl.gov/> (2000) A11 . Pieniazek et al. "Phylogenetic Analysis of GP 41 Envelope of HIV-1 groups M.N. and O Strains provides an WW alternate region for subtype determination" Online (1998) MM A12 Abstract. "Human Immunodeficiency Virus Type 1 (HXB2), complete Genome" (1987) Simon et al. "Identification of a New Human Immunodeficiency Virus Type 1 distinct from Group M and Group 0" A13. MM Nature Medicine 4(9):1032-1037 (1998) Vanden Haesvelde et al. "Sequence Analysis of a Highly Divergent HIV-1 related Lentivirus isolated from a wild A14 MMcaptured Chimpanzee" Virology 221(2):346-350 (1996) Clewley et al. "A novel Simian Immunodeficiency Virus (SIVdrl) pol Sequence from Drill Monkey. Mandrillus A15, WW Leucophaeus" J. Virol. 72(12):10305-10309 (1998) Yang et al. "Detection of Phylogenetically diverse Human Immunodeficiency Virus Type 1 Groups M and 0 from A16 MM Plasma by using Highly Sensitive and Specific Generic Primers" J. Clin. Microbiol. 8:2581-2586 (August 1999) MM A17 r Gao et al. "Orgin of HIV-1 in the Chimpanzee Pan troglodytes Troglodytes" Nature (London) 397(4):436-441 (1999) 9/24/03 **EXAMINER:** DATE CONSIDERED: EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609: Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

DEC 1 0 2001 35



## **TECH CENTER 1600/2900**

Form PTO-1449  U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE (Rev. 7-80) PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE				ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: 14114.0346U2		SERIAL NO. 09/890,551		
				APPLICANT: LAL et al.	APPLICANT: LAL et al.		W.Marrich	
LIST OF PRIOR ART CITED BY APPLICANT (Use several sheets if necessary)				FILING DATE: August 1, 2001	FILING DATE: August 1, 2001		GROUP: 1636	
U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS								
EXAMINER INITIAL	<b>T</b> _	DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE	
							II ALLIGINISSE	
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS								
OTHER PRIOR ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)								
hm	A18 、	Schreiber et al. "The risk of transfusion-transmitted viral infections. The Retrovirus Epidemiology Donor Study" New Engl. J. Med. 334(26):1685-1690 (June 27, 1996)						
MM	A19	Respess et al. "De by PCR" <i>J. Clin. M</i>	Respess et al. "Detection of genetically diverse human immunodeficiency virus type 1 group M and O isolates by PCR" <i>J. Clin. Microbiol</i> . 35(5):1284:1286 (May 1997)					
MM	A20 .	Eberle et al. "Diversity of the immunodominant epitope of gp41 of HIV-1 substype 0 and its validity for antibody detection" <i>J. Virol. Methods</i> 67(1):85-91 (August 1997)						
MM	A21 ,	Bi .		oility of Human Immunodeficiency Virus Typ n France" <i>J. Virol</i> . 69(9):5640-5649 (Septe			-	
MM	A22 .	Alaeus et al. "Subt 1997)	Alaeus et al. "Subtype-specific problems with quantification of plasma HIV-1 RNA" <i>AIDS</i> 11(7):859-865 (June 1997)					
WW	A23 ·	i	Cavert "In vivo detection and quantitation of HIV in blood and tissues" AIDS 12 (Suppl. A):S27-34 (1998)					
WW	A24 ,	Fransen et al. "Design and evaluation of new, highly sensitive and specific primers for polymerase chain reaction detecton of HIV-1 infected primary lymphocytes" <i>Mol. Cell. Probes</i> 8(4):317-322 (August 1994)						
MM	A25	Loussert-Ajaka et a (December 2. 1995)	₃l. "Genetic	c diversity and HIV detection by polymeras	se chain re	eaction" Lance	et 346:1489	
MM	A26 ·	Xiao et al. "CCR5 Coreceptor Usage of Non-Syncytium-Inducing Primary HIV-1 is Independent of Phylogenetically Distinct Global HIV-1 Isolates: Delineation of Consensus Motif in the V3 Domain That Predicts CCR-5 Usage" <i>Virology</i> 240(1):83-92 (January 5, 1998)						
WW	A27 、	Owen et al. "Genetically Divergent Strains of Human Immunodeficiency Virus Type 2 Use Multiple Coreceptors for Viral Entry" <i>J. Virol</i> . 72(7):5425-5432 (July 1998)						
MM	A28	Gao et al. "A compr isolates of human f	Gao et al. "A comprehensive panel of near-full length clones and reference sequences for non-subtype B isolates of human immunodeficiency virus type 1" <i>J. Virol</i> . 72(7):5680-5698 (July 1998)					
MM	A29 r		Landegren et al. "DNA Diagnostics-Molecular Techniques and Automation" <i>Science</i> . 242(4876):229-237 (October 14, 1988)					
EXAMINER:		Munich	] [	DATE CONSIDERED: 914103				
EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609: Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.								